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BOX PATENT APPLICATION
Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Application of Ranjan SEN, Minati CHATTERJEE, Milan Kanti NASKAR,
Mrinmay PAL, Mukul Chandra PAUL, Shyamal Kumar BHADRA, Kamal
DASGUPTA, Dibyendu GANGULI, Tarun BANDYOPADHYAY, Aharon
GEDANKEN
A PROCESS OF MAKING RARE EARTH DOPED OPTICAL FIBRE
Assignee: COUNCIL OF SCIENTIFIC & INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH
Our Ref. Q66881

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above including 30 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, and 2 sheet(s) of drawings. The executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	52	- 20	=	32	x	\$18.00	=	\$576.00
Independent claims	2	- 3	=		x	\$84.00	=	\$0.00
Base Fee								\$740.00

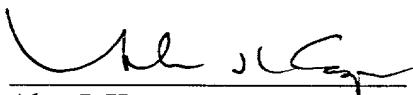
TOTAL FEE **\$1316.00**

A check for the statutory filing fee of \$1316.00 is attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

There is no claim to priority.

Respectfully submitted,
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